



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Confirmation No. 9267

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Group Art Unit 2615

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Examiner Brian T. Pendleton

METHOD OF SETTING AUDIO OUTPUT LEVEL AND DEVICE THEREFOR

RESPONSE

THE COMMISSIONER IS AUTHORIZED TO CHARGE ANY DEFICIENCY IN THE FEES FOR THIS PAPER TO DEPOSIT ACCOUNT NO. 23-0975

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Pursuant to the requirement contained in the Office Action mailed September 6, 2006, Applicant hereby elects species I, Fig. 1, claims 11-13, 16-18 and 21-24.

In view of this election, a full examination on the merits of the present application is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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